

ABSTRACT

It is intended to provide an acidic polar solvent containing protein which contains dissolved soybean protein at a high concentration and shows a high stability over a 5 long time without adding a stabilizer or decomposing the protein. It is also intended to provide a protein-containing food of the gel type such as an alcoholic drink or an alcoholic jelly. A polar solvent in the state of a solution or a gel, in which soybean protein is not 10 dispersed by adding a stabilizer or the like but stably dissolved, can be provided by employing acid-soluble soybean protein in a polar solvent in the state of being dissolved therein.